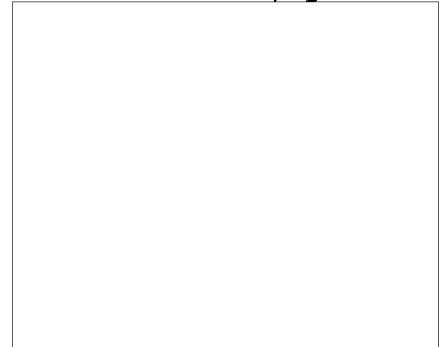
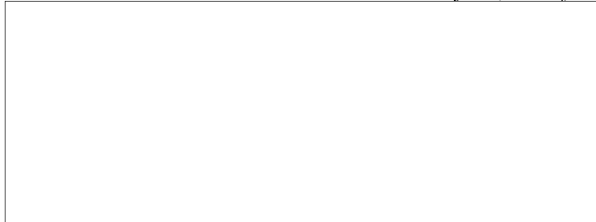


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It gives me great personal pleasure to extend to you my very best wishes at this time of your second retirement from Government employment.

Your loyal and devoted service to your Government over the long period of 39 years has been noteworthy for the consistently high quality of your contributions. Throughout your career, while with the Department of State, the Department of Agriculture, and lastly with this Agency, you have acted in conformance with the high ideals and traditions of Government service.

The awarding to you of the Intelligence Medal of Merit in 1956 is a testimonial of the great esteem in which you are held by all of us in the Agency and in the intelligence community as an expert on the agriculture and the people of the Soviet Bloc.

Personally and professionally, we shall miss having you as an active participant on the team in the future.

Sincerely,

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